



POLICE FORCE,  
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Shanghai Municipal Council.

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Sir,

A foreman and twelve Arsenal mechanics have left here for Hankow. They will bring back the machinery which was sent to Hanyang Arsenal last year.

The parliamentarians have almost all left for the capital. It is believed that the few remaining will leave here to-day.

One hundred and twenty soldiers with 2 field guns returned from Sangkiang to the Arsenal on 26th instant.

Zee Koh Liang, Chief of Police, has given orders that police on duty at jetties and railway stations are not to search passengers.

Your obedient servant,

*William Mustaine*

Chief Detective Inspector.

*Asst.*  
Captain Superintendent of Police.

*Asst. 27/7.*